

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Customer Number: 20277
Syed K. QURAISHI, et al. : Confirmation Number: 2977
Serial No.: 09/827,333 : Group Art Unit: 3628
Filed: April 06, 2001 : Examiner: Timothy M. Harbeck

For: RULES ENGINE HAVING USER ACTIVATED RULES OF SELECTABLE
SCOPE AND SELECTABLE OUTCOMES

PETITION TO REVIVE UNDER 37 CFR 1.137(b)

Mail Stop Petition
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicants are in receipt of an advisory action dated on March 15, 2007 advising that an amendment after final filed on February 22, 2007 responding to a final office action issued on August 22, 2006 was not entered. As the Advisory Action indicates that the period for reply expires six months from the mailing date of the final rejection, the reply period expires on February 23, 2007 despite the response after final, and it is assumed that the Application is now placed in condition of abandonment due to lapse of reply period.

As the abandonment was unintentional, applicants respectfully petition for revival of the application, and authorize the required petition fee of \$1,500.00 to be charged to Deposit Account No. 500417.

Attached is a Request for Continued Examination and a copy of the response to the Office Action dated August 22, 2006.

Revival of the application, entry of the Request for Continued Examination (RCE), Response, and consideration on the merits are respectfully requested.

To the extent necessary, a petition for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 is hereby made. Please charge any shortage in fees due in connection with the filing of this paper, including extension of time fees, to Deposit Account 500417 and please credit any excess fees to such deposit account.

Respectfully submitted,

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